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(Case No. 01-1737)

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In re Application of:

Lee Duen and Chin Chuan

Serial No.: 10/055,686

Filed: January 18, 2002

For: Allergen Detection Chip

Confirmation No. 8760

Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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In regard to the above identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- a. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- b. Request for a One Month Extension of Time;
- c. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- d. Thirteen (13) Substitute Drawings Sheets;
- e. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application; and
- f. Return Receipt Postcard.

2. With respect to additional fees, attached is a check in the amount of \$240.00 to cover the \$130.00 fee for late submission of a declaration and the \$110.00 fee for a one month extension of time.

3. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No.13-2490. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

4. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Box: Missing Parts, Washington, D.C. 20231 on this 20th day of May, 2002.

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, mailed February 20, 2002 (a copy of which is enclosed), Applicants submit herewith the enclosed executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Applicants submit herewith the enclosed thirteen (13) substitute drawing sheets containing Figures 1-8. The drawings are now in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84. Applicants also enclose herewith a check covering the \$130.00 surcharge for late submission of a declaration.

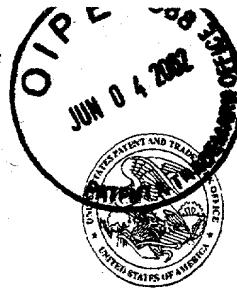
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawings contain excessive text. Suitable descriptive legends may be used, or may be required by the Examiner where necessary for understanding of the drawing but should contain as few words as possible (see 37 CFR 1.84(o));

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

Karla Quintus

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